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DAMPER SYSTEM :

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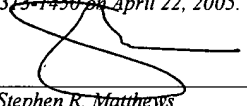
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AMENDMENT

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In response to the Office Action dated December 22, 2004, and within the fourth month for responding thereto, and upon payment of the appropriate extension of time fee, as noted in the accompanying Request for Extension of Time To Respond, Applicant herein amends the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include 6 attached replacement sheets of drawings.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.